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5.1 Scope

- 5.1.1 Paper manufacturing processes (approximately 44 hours)
- 5.1.2 Security paper (approximately 16 hours)
- 5.1.3 Paper examinations (approximately 52 hours)
- 5.1.4 Mead Paper Knowledge Course (approximately 40 hours)
- 5.1.5 Examination/PE (approximately 8 hours)

5.2 Objective

To provide an overview of the history and process of paper manufacturing, features in security paper, and the basic procedures involved in the laboratory examination of paper.

5.3 Methods of Instruction

Self-directed study, lecture, practicals, seminar

5.4 References

- 5.4.1 Paper Manufacturing Processes
 - Browning, B.L., Analysis of Paper, 2nd Edition, Marcel Dekker Inc., NY 1977, Chap 1
 - Brunelle, R.L. & Reed, R.W., <u>Forensic Examination of Ink and Paper</u>, Charles C. Thomas Publisher, Springfield, IL, 1984, Chap 10-12
 - Hunter, Dard, <u>Papermaking: The History and Technique of an Ancient Craft</u>, Dover Publications, Mineola, NY, 1978, Chap 9, 10, 12-14
 - Harrison, W.R., Suspect Documents, Frederick A. Praeger, NY, 1958, pp 6-12

5.4.2 Security Paper

Technical articles (as assigned)

5.4.3 Paper Examinations

- Browning, B.L., <u>Analysis of Paper</u>, 2^{n d} Edition, Marcel Dekker Inc., N.Y. 1977, Chap 26
- Brunelle, R.L. & Reed, R.W., <u>Forensic Examination of Ink and Paper</u>, Charles C. Thomas Publisher, Springfield, IL, 1984, Chap 13
- Conway, J.V.P, Evidential Documents, Charles C. Thomas Publisher, Springfield, IL, 1959, pp 175-185
- Harrison, W.R., <u>Suspect Documents</u>, Frederick A. Praeger, NY, 1958, pp 30-33, 38-50, 58-62, 89-93, 129-133, 455-468
- Hilton, O., <u>Scientific Examination of Questioned Documents</u>, Elsevier, NY, 1982, pp 82-90, 274-275, 281-282
- Osborn, A.S., Questioned Documents, Boyd Printing Co., Albany, NY, 2nd Edition, 1929, Chap 26
- Ellen, D., <u>The Scientific Examination of Documents: Methods and Techniques</u>, 2nd Edition, Taylor and Francis, Ltd., 1997, pp 95-100
- Technical articles (as assigned)

5.5 Standards

5.5.1 The student must be able to explain a basic history of papermaking.

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- 5.5.2 The student must be able to explain the basic processes involved in paper making and name the principal components of modern writing papers and explain their functions.
- 5.5.3 The student must be able to explain the theory of paper security and the most common security features of modern security papers.
- 5.5.4 The student must be able to conduct the principal nondestructive laboratory examinations of paper.
- 5.5.5 The student must be able to explain and demonstrate the procedures for matching torn and cut paper edges and identifying a paper cutting device.
- 5.5.6 The student must be able to explain and demonstrate the use of a micrometer in determining the thickness of paper.
- 5.5.7 If possible, the student shall attend a Mead Paper Knowledge Seminar. If a seminar is unavailable during the time frame of Course C, efforts shall be made to attend at a later date.

5.6 Verification

- 5.6.1 Student must score at least 80 on a written test.
- 5.6.2 Student must complete (to the instructor's satisfaction) a practical exercise demonstrating the ability to conduct nondestructive laboratory examinations of paper.
- 5.6.3 Student will have 160 hours to complete Course C.

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